



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

HEADTEACHER: Mrs M Hollis

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Friday 27th August 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

School Year 2021-2022

I hope that you are enjoying the summer holiday and this lovely sunshine. We are all really looking forward to welcoming the children back on Thursday 2nd September.

There are few important updates that I would like to share with you prior to our return.

Staffing

I am sure you will join me in congratulating Mrs Boekweit-Hughes on her recent success, of securing the role of Deputy Headteacher. I know that Mrs Boekweit-Hughes will continue to bring so much to St Joseph's as she always strives for the best for our school family. Mrs Boekweit-Hughes' working days will be Monday to Thursday.

Mr Edgerton was due to finish at St Joseph's in July. I am pleased to announce that he has secured a fixed term position as one of our teaching assistants for this school year. Congratulations Mr Edgerton!

Year group from September 2021:	Class Teacher	Support Staff
2 Year Old Room	Mrs Higgins	Mrs Metcalf Mrs Carney Mrs Hallett
F1-Mornings	Mrs Walker	Mrs Collinson Miss Lewis
F2	Miss Howard	Mrs Henderson
Year 1	Miss Turner	Mrs Ashton Mr Edgerton
Year 2	Miss Finnigan	
Year 3	Mr Broughton	
Year 4	Miss Davies	
Year 5	Miss Last	
Year 6	Mrs Lyon	
PE/PPA Teacher	Mr McGovern	
SENCO	Mrs Airey	

School Day

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There are a few changes to the start and finish of the school day. It is paramount that these new arrangements are adhered to, in order to keep our school family safe.

The gates will open at 8:45am for all children to be dropped off, as a 'relaxed drop' between 8:45am and 9am. Please do not arrive at school prior to 8:45am, as this will cause the area to become congested. Please drop your child/ren off at their relevant gate and move along swiftly. All children should be in school by 9am. No parents/carers will be permitted on the school playground before school.

At the end of the day, we are making changes so that you can collect your child from their closest classroom exit. Please collect your youngest child/ren first. Don't worry if you are unsure where these areas are, as staff will be on hand to assist. The following arrangements will apply:

- There will be a designated spot for you to line up at, when collecting your child.
- All parents/carers must be in the designated area in order for your child/ren to be collected
- If you need to speak with a teacher, please wait until the whole class has been dismissed

Exit Doors

Class	Pick Up Area	Time
Foundation 2	Foundation Area	3:25pm
Yr1	KS1 Yard – Yr1 Classroom	3:25pm
Yr2	KS1 Yard- Yr1/2 Classroom	3:25pm
Yr3	KS2 Yard – Sensory Room	3:30pm
Yr4	KS2 Yard – Yr4 Classroom Corridor	3:30pm
Yr5	KS2 Yard- Storytelling Area	3:30pm
Yr6	Office Area	3:30pm

Fidget Toys

A reminder that fidget toys are not permitted in school, unless they are part of a health care plan. Any fidget toys in school will be confiscated until the end of the school day. Many thanks for your understanding.

PE

Please ensure that your child/ren wear PE kits to school on their allocated PE day.

Day	Class
Monday	Yr6 & Yr2
Tuesday	Yr1
Wednesday	Yr4 & Yr3
Thursday	Yr5 & F2
Friday	F1

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Covid-19

An updated Covid-19 risk assessment will be available on our school website for Wednesday 1st September. Please take the time to read it and contact the school office if you have any questions. If your child/ren display symptoms of Covid-19, please do not bring them to school. Please book them in for a PCR test and let us know the results as soon as you receive them. If you are unsure if your child should attend school after being in contact with a positive case, please ring the school office for further advice before bringing them onto school premises.

I hope you and your families enjoy making happy memories during this last week of the holiday.

May we keep those that are less fortunate than ourselves, especially those impacted by the troubles in Afghanistan, in our hearts and prayers during these uncertain times.

God bless,

Mrs Hollis
Headteacher